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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL WORK EXAMINERS  
STATE BOARD OF MARRIAGE AND FAMILY  
THERAPY EXAMINERS

In the Matter of	:	
	:	Administrative Action
SUZANNE ZIPES,	:	
Respondent	:	
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To Practice Social Work and	:	ORDER FOR REINSTATEMENT
Marriage and Family Therapy	:	
in the State of New Jersey	:	
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Social Work Examiners ("Social Work Board") and the New Jersey State Board of Marriage and Family Therapists ("Marriage and Family Board") upon the request of Suzanne Zipes ("respondent") for reinstatement of her licenses as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and as a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist. Pursuant to a Consent order filed on February 11, 1999, respondent has not engaged in any practice requiring licensure as either a social worker or a marriage and family therapist since the filing of the Consent Order. The Consent Order was based upon an expert report which stated that respondent's professional practice grossly deviated from the accepted standards of practice in both professional Boards and her supervision of counselors employed by her and her own erroneous dual relationship with a client.


The Social Work Board and the Marriage and Family Board, having considered the whole record and having confirmed that respondent has complied with the terms of the Consent Order required prior to restatement, has determined that good cause exists for the entry of the within Order.


THEREFORE, IT IS ON THIS 23<sup>rd</sup> DAY OF May 2001,

HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Upon respondent's submission of her applications and fulfillment of all requirements for licensure, the Social Work Board and the Marriage and Family Board will reinstate respondent's licenses as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and as a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist.
2. For one year from the time respondent resumes providing therapy, she shall be supervised by Kim Fendrick, LCSW. The supervision shall be face-to-face for a minimum of one hour per week which shall include, but not be limited to, a discussion of all client sessions and a review of client records. Respondent shall cause Ms. Fendrick to submit to each Board quarterly reports describing respondent's progress. Respondent shall not change supervisors without prior approval of the Social Work Board and the Marriage and Family Board.
3. Upon reinstatement of her licenses, respondent shall refrain from supervision of other professionals pending approval of

both Boards, but under no circumstances, prior to completion of her one year of supervision.

  
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